

prohibition of pork, hinted that the United States might revive the 20 per cent duty on French pictures. The Minister declared that no disease had been caused in either England or Germany, and requested the withdrawal of the prohibition as an act of friendship, duty and policy. La France advises the withdrawal by the government of the prohibition against pork. The paper thinks that France would, by pursuing such a course, avoid an economic war, the cost of which would fall on her.

Aid for Australian Strikers.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The London Dock Laborers' Union has voted to subscribe a shilling a week for each member to the funds of the strikers in Australia. This is only a fair return for the financial aid extended by the Australians during the great struggle of the London dockers just as the telegram of "sympathy" sent by the union a few days ago to Mr. Powderly and the striking railroad men in New York, was an appropriate return for the sympathy uncooed unpanned by cash, which the Knights of Labor extended to the dockers on that same occasion.

Mexican Affairs.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 28.—Via Galveston.—A considerable quantity of pine wood is being shipped to the United States from Mexican ports.

An American syndicate is buying sugar lands in Mexico.

Finance Minister Dublan yesterday assured the Associated Press correspondent that the Government would not impose a tax on sugar exports. He said the Government wished to do all in its power to aid commerce.

The United States mails over the National Railroad are a day behind time.

The Kaiser's Hurred Departure.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Standard says that it appears certain that the Czar has refused to discuss the Kaiser's proposals. It is significant that the curtailment of the army maneuvers and court festivities was necessitated by the sudden desire manifested by His Majesty to depart for home. His haste is, however, attributed to Socialist movements and the discontent recently manifested by the insubordination of the Hanoverian regiment.

Fresh Troubles in Buenos Ayres.

BUENOS AIRES, Aug. 28.—The Union Civica has called a meeting for the purpose of formulating a request to the Minister of Hacienda and Lavalle leave the Cabinet. This action has caused much excitement in political circles. A bill has been presented in the Provincial Chambers of La Plata to authorize a new issue of Cédulas, series Q, to the amount of \$10,000,000. The Senate has adopted a general amnesty law.

The Belgian Striking Miners.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 28.—A conference was held here to-day to endeavor to settle the differences between the striking miners and the employers, but failed to adjust the trouble. The strikers have resumed their attacks on "black legs."

STILL SPREADING.

MONS, Aug. 28.—The total number of coal miners on strike in the Borinage district is 16,800, and the movement is still spreading.

A Terrible Domestic Tragedy.

HAMBURG, Aug. 28.—Henry Brun, a farmer, accused his wife of unfaithfulness. He took her into the cellar of their house, strapped her to a bench and with an old saber chopped off her head. He then blew out his own brains.

The Distress in Ireland.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The correspondent of the Times in Dublin says that Irish prospects will be gloomy, if, in addition to the failure of the potato crop, the other crops are injured by unfavorable weather. He adds that the distress will be aggravated by agitation.

Bismarck and the Emperor.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The Berlin correspondent of the Standard says: It is reported that influences, due to the mediation of a friendly court, are at work which point to an approaching reconciliation between Prince Bismarck and Emperor William.

A Serious Accident.

GLASGOW, Aug. 28.—A goods train and a train carrying passengers came into collision to-day at Milngavie on the North British Railway, seven miles northwest of this city. Twenty persons are known to have been injured.

The Russian Petroleum Trade.

BAKU, Asiatic Russia, Aug. 28.—The newspapers of this city assert that the adoption of the American tank system has had for its result the steady beating back of Russian competition in the petroleum trade.

Foreign News in Brief.

The Marchioness of Londonderry has abandoned her intention of making a voyage to America for her health and goes instead to Scotland.

A compressed air reservoir on the Russian man-of-war *Pamiat Azova* at Cronstadt burst to-day, damaging the deck and killing a seaman.

Taylor's Sure Cure, cures Constipation.

FOUGHT LIKE DEMONS.

Two Desperate Kentuckians Fight a Duel at Middlesborough, Ky.

MIDDLEBOROUGH, Ky., Aug. 28.—A desperate duel was fought here yesterday between Clark Turner and Steve Wannick last night, resulting in the death of Wannick and the fatal wounding of Turner. The two men fought like demons for fifteen minutes, Turner using a revolver and Wannick a bowie knife. A hundred men witnessed the battle, but all were powerless to interfere.

RESULTS AT BARATTA TO-DAY.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 28.—First race, six furlongs—Gypsy Queen, won, Jay, Des, second, and Olafso, third. Time, 1:19.

Second race, the Relieft Stakes, one mile and 500 yards—Beclare, won; Ban Chief, second. Time, 2:22.

Third race, one and one furlong—English Lad, won; with Hamlet second. Time, 1:02.

The entries were: the Relieft Stakes, one mile and three-quarters—Floodite, won; Marandur, second; Sam D., third. Time, 1:18.

Fifth race, six furlongs—Linden, Rod won; Col. F., second; Bill Bee, third. Time, 1:19.

Col. J. F. Bowe's Arrival.

Among the arrivals in New York yesterday by the Majestic were: Col. and Mrs. J. F. How, with their two sons, and Mr. Estell McHenry, who was called back from his European trip by the news of the illness of Mrs. Eads.

Mrs. H. Gehner and Mrs. G. E. Brandon have returned from a visit to Niagara Falls and Lake Ontario.

Mr. Wm. Morgan, the Clerk of the United States District Court, returned with his family this morning from Wisconsin, where they have spent three months.

Dobyns—Trask.

The marriage of Isab. Trask to Mr. George Lee Dobyns which was announced to take place last evening, by mistake, will occur this evening at Central Methodist Church, Rev. Dr. Matthews officiating.

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LOTS OF HARMONY.

"Boss" Filley Running the Republican State Convention at Jefferson City.

Senator James C. McGinnis of St. Louis Made Temporary Chairman.

Every County in Missouri Represented in the Convention—Mr. Filley Makes One of His Characteristic Speeches and Arrows the Democracy—The Ticket Fixed by "Old Man"—Appointment of the Usual Committees and a Recess—The Colored Contingent Ask for Representation on the Ticket—The Thurman Club Wants Office-Holders Out of the Ninth District Congressional Committee—Political Notes.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 28.—The Democratic State Convention was called to order at 10 o'clock this morning by Chairman Jewell of the State Committee, who immediately announced ex-Gov. Isaac Gray as chairman.

Thirteen hundred and three delegates occupied seats on the floor, while the lobbies and galleries were filled with a larger crowd of Democrats than has been gathered together in the State for many years before. The platform, which is very long, was received with great enthusiasm. On National subjects it says:

"We, the Democracy of Indiana, in convention assembled for the first time since the memorable contest of 1888, when we went down in defeat, but not dishonor, overcome by the shameless methods of Dudley and the 'Blocks-of-Five,' do solemnly declare: That the electoral vote of Indiana was obtained for Harrison and Morton by the most flagrant crimes against the ballot box ever perpetrated in an American commonwealth; that these crimes were committed under the direct auspices of Wm. Wade Dudley, then and now Treasurer of the National Republican Committee, and by the procurement and consilience of Republican leaders in this State and in the nation; that the administration of Benjamin Harrison has made itself an accessory after the fact to these crimes by shielding the criminals from punishment and even by rewarding them for their knavery; and that the brazen prostitution of the machinery of the Federal Court for the District of Indiana, by its Judge and attorney, to the service and protection of these conspirators against the suffrage, written to each individual member of

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The Statistics on Street Railroads Do Not Truthfully Show the Improvement and Increase of Transportation Facilities in This City—Mr. James Campbell Furnishes the Correct Data—Real Estate News.

Real estate agents and property owners generally of this city are very much chagrined at the injustice which has been done to St. Louis in the statistics which have just been sent out from Washington, D. C., by Charles F. Vogel, special agent for rapid transit facilities in cities, under direction of Henry C. Adams, special agent of transportation. The information alludes to street railways and includes suburban lines tributary to large cities but outside their corporate limits as well as those within the cities, and in this matter St. Louis has been badly misrepresented as being among the cities which have made the least progress in developing the rapid transit problem—whereas the fact is this city leads, and is in advance of all others both in the increased number of mileage, the character of the tracks put down and in the elegant and modern equipment of its new systems.

No man is more thoroughly conversant with these facts than Mr. James Campbell, the broker, who has placed all the St. Louis street railway bonds which have been offered for sale to the public, with the exception of those of the Broadway line taken by the St. Louis Trust Co., and his energies in this behalf have necessitated an accumulation and the compilation of data which but few, if in fact any other person is in possession of.

Mr. Campbell says St. Louis street railways are valued according to their capital stock, at \$15,961,000, and not only that, but that this immense wealth all belongs to the city of St. Louis, the Chicago syndicate's purchase of some of the roads, amounting to \$1,000,000, not excepted, as the money to pay for the bonds was all borrowed from local banks and considerably more than the purchase price in the bargain.

The bonded indebtedness of the various roads, amounting to \$9,450,000, is all held here.

Referring to his statistical information about St. Louis street railways, Mr. Campbell says that there is a present mileage of 216.4 miles, but that this is a total increase of 62 miles since 1880.

During the year 1884 the lines then in existence carried 825,926 passengers. In 1889 there were 57,972,440 people carried on the St. Louis street railways. This is an increase of 1,068,000 passengers, or an increase of 1,688 per cent over the number who rode on St. Louis street car lines in 1884; nearly half as many as were carried during the same length of time in the electric system.

Taking the roads in alphabetical order, the Benton-Beaumont line is credited with eighteen miles of track, now being changed to the electric system.

The Forest Park & Fourth street road, out Laclede avenue, five and a quarter miles long, now electric car line, which was built in 1889, is undergoing a change to electric motive power, the poles being changed to the lines.

The Lindell Railway, thirty-five miles in length, had added 10.5 miles to its lines since 1889, and the entire system, now being changed, is an overhead electric wire road, will be in operation before the end of the year.

The Laclede line, Co. 18, has eighteen and one-half miles of track, has added nine miles since 1889, and nine miles of the road has the credit of being the trolley cable line in the country.

The Mount City, operated as a horse car line, eight miles long, is now being changed to the overhead electric system.

The Northern Central ten and one-half miles long, constructed since 1889, operated as a horse road, is now applying for a franchise to change to the electric system.

The Cass avenue road, eight and a half miles in extent, is also asking for a franchise to change to the electric system.

The People's line, with street, operated as a horse road in 1889, when only eight miles long, is now ten miles in extent and is operated from the east to the west as a cable road, and much success.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 26, 1890.

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The situation in the Ninth District is ripe for a Koetter's Hotel game.

The Ninth District has apparently been sold, but it has not been delivered.

RUDYARD KIPLING'S newest story will appear in the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

Boss REED's reversal of some of his own rules shows a disposition on his part to get in harmony with public opinion.

YESTERDAY was noted for the first appearance of J. L. SULLIVAN as an actor and of Congressmen WILSON and BECKWITH as slugs.

THERE is no foundation whatever for the belief that the Ninth District can be carried by the meanest Democrat who may be nominated.

THE directors of the Chicago Fair will hold a meeting on September 9 to choose a site. Meanwhile the St. Louis Exposition will be in the full tide of success.

AFTER reading the reports of yesterday's proceedings in Congress Jim BUTLER is more firmly convinced than ever of his fitness to take part in national legislation.

IN his apology Congressman WILSON said that he struck Congressman BECKWITH on the spur of the moment. This entitles BECKWITH to claim the right on a foul.

The Republicans had a monopoly of the House yesterday, but they will not have it in the next Congress if things go as they promise to in the Ninth Missouri District.

AN excellent substitute for the rule to exclude married women from the list of public school teachers would be a rule to exclude bums from the Board of Public School Directors.

APPARENTLY the public schools will have to hobbles along this year without assistance from the School Board, but perhaps under the circumstances it is a good thing for the schools.

If the plans of the Ninth Districtrowdies carry Jim BUTLER may not be nominated, but he and his friends will name the nominee, which will be worth just as much from a financial standpoint.

It has remained for Speaker REED and his friends to prove the error and futility of his quorum rule. The conduct of the House for the past three days has been eloquent in condemnation of the fat boss from Maine.

THE report of the House proceedings of yesterday almost reconciles one to the congressional aspirations of Jim BUTLER. At such times Jim could easily take the House leadership "by merit raised to that bad eminence."

IT will not make any difference whether the House passes the Butterworth option bill or not. The Senate has already shown its mind on that question by passing an option bill which makes option trading criminal only when the trader sells grain with criminal intent, and is willing to confess and convict himself.

RESPECTABLE Democrat of the Ninth District should bear in mind that the control of the Congressional Convention would be just as disastrous to the party as the nomination of Jim BUTLER. What decent Democrat would take a nomination from the Butler gang? And what good would it do him if he did? A nomination from that source would bear the brand of corruption on its face.

OWING to the unwise partisan greed of the Democratic majority in the Ohio Legislature, should Maj. MCKINLEY be defeated for Congress, which is probable, the result will not be a test in any sense of the tariff sentiment of his constituents.

It will be charged to an unjust gerrymander and will be more damaging to the Democrats than the Republicans. MCKINLEY is a fair fighter, and the attempt to rob him of a congressional seat will do the Democratic party more harm than good.

THE NINTH DISTRICT.

The Butler Committee in the Ninth District has ordered Democratic primaries on the 12th of September to nominate JIM for Congress unless some candidate offers to whom the nomination will be worth more than it can be to Jim.

It is understood, of course, that no candidate need apply who is not prepared to offer some convincing evidences of his appreciation of the honor, as a Butler committee is to act as the primary returning board. There is a loud call for such a candidate, but not the slightest prospect that any prudent aspirant will compete with Jim for the doubtful honor of such a nomination. The fate of the Koetter Hotel ticket is too recent a warning of the defeat awaiting good men who voluntarily pass under the yoke of that particular brand of bossism. From all present appearances the district is sold to the Republican Congressional Committee already so far as POHLMAN and ED BUTLER can arrange for the delivery of the goods.

A strong Democratic rally at the primaries could of course stop the sale and prevent the delivery, if it were possible to get Democrats to vote at the primaries controlled by the Butler machine with a Butler committee to manipulate and certify the returns. But the great majority of Democrats will not make dummies of themselves in that kind of so-called primaries, and they are resting as quietly now as if they are inclined to acquiesce in the sale of the district to the Republicans. The announcement of Jim as a candidate for Congress and the subsequent maneuvering of the committee were equivalent to a public proclamation of the proposed sale, and the only remaining question is whether the Democrats of the district will permit it.

AN UNINTENTIONAL BLESSING.

The present troubles of the School Board, which are again forced to the front as an aggravating nuisance, seem to be the result of a combination of asininity and "cussedness."

Owing to the silly blunder of the faction in control of the board when the free books resolution was passed the proper steps were not taken to carry the resolution into effect, and, owing to squabbles over contracts which, it is charged, were irregularly let, several members are resorting to the foolish absences plan of preventing meetings of the board. The obstruction to the business of the board just before the opening of the schools is in the nature of an outrage, but the free books tangle may prove an unintentional blessing. The city may properly give all pupils regardless of circumstances free books when the means to do so are available without hampering other important functions of the schools. The prime consideration is giving school benefits to every child in the city and only when ample accommodations for this have been provided should public benevolence be extended to the provision of free books for children of rich and poor alike.

In the opinion of the most intelligent and practical school directors the free books system would tax the means of the board and would prevent needed extensions and improvements in the public school service. The plan, too, would have to be devised hastily and without due consideration. It is, therefore, better perhaps that the question should go over for another year.

Mark Twain on "Kipling."

From the New York World.

"It would be a good thing," said he, "to read Mr. Kipling's writings for their style alone. There was no story back of it. But, as you say, there always is a story there and a powerfully interesting one generally. How people have got to read and talk about his stories! Why, when a young man not yet 24 years of age succeeds in the way Kipling has succeeded it simply shows, doesn't it, that the general public has a strong appreciation of a good thing when it gets hold of one?"

"His great charm to me is the way he sways nervous English! It is wonderful. That, it seems to me, is one great secret of the hold he takes on his readers. They can understand what he is at. He is simple and direct.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

A Tip-Top Candidate.

WOULD not N. O. NELSON be a suitable candidate for the Ninth Congressional District?

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 25, 1890.

ANSWER TO CORRESPONDENT.

TAT.—The club held a meeting shortly after the excursion you refer to.

HORN—The University of Michigan is situated at Ann Arbor, Mich.

SUBSCRIBER.—For the information you require call at the office of the Fullman Palace Club.

OLD TELHOME.—The comparative merits of phrenologists cannot be determined in this column.

CONSTANT READER.—Your question involves several fine points in law. You should consult a lawyer.

B. C. M.—A letter to a young lady should not be addressed "Dear Madame." Use the young lady's name.

NOVELTY.—The make and style of your fall dress will be a good test of the column, but must be left to your individual taste.

CUSTOMER.—Your questions involve an interpretation of both American and English law, which cannot be given in this column. Consult some well-known lawyer in your city.

CONFIDANT FOR THE FORCE BILL.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer.

Speaker Reed now makes a quorum by calling half. With a second-hand hat store he could cut a great swath in legislation.

MR. W. L. STEIGERS

Will call on merchants wishing to contract for advertising in POST-DISPATCH. Telephone 284.

THEY LEFT THE WORLD.

A NUMBER OF YOUNG LADIES RECEIVED AT THE URSULINE CONVENT.

The Faculty of St. Xavier's College for the Coming Year—Opening of the Young Men's Sodality New Hall—A Foster In-dorser—Religious News of Interest.

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COMMERCIAL.

THE MARKETS IN BRIEF.

WHEAT—Lower. Cash No. 2 red at 95 1-2. 69 1-2c, and No. 3 red at 96 2/8c 1-2c. December closed at 91 03 3-8.

CORN—Lower. Cash No. 2 sold at 44 1-8c, and No. 3 white at 49c. May closed at 47c bid.

OATS—Lower. Cash No. 2 salable at 34 1-2c, and May closed at 38c bid.

FLOUR—Dull and lower.

Closing Prices—1:15 P. M.

ST. LOUIS:	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT				
Aug. 29	96c	95c	95c	95c b
Sept. 1	100c	99c	99c	99c b
Oct. 1	103c	102c	102c	102c b
Oct. 15	103c	102c	102c	102c b
May. 11	110c	109	109	109b
CORN.				
Aug. 29	44	44	44	44
Sept. 1	44	43	43	43
Oct. 1	45	44	44	44
May. 11	47c	46c	46c	47c b
OATS.				
Aug. 29	34	34	34	34
Sept. 1	34	33	33	33a
Oct. 1	35	33	33	33a
May. 11	35c	33	33	33a
CHICAGO.—Reported by Frank J. Brown, rooms 120 and 130, Chamber of Commerce.				
WHEAT.				
Sept. 1-105	1.048c	1.01	1.024c	
Dec. 1-107c	1.078c	1.058c	1.058c	
CORN.				
Sept. 1-105	47c	50c	47c	
May. 11	51c	50c	50c	
OATS.				
Sept. 1-105	1.30c	1.25c	1.26c	
Dec. 1-107c	1.247c	1.232c	1.237c	
LARD.				
Sept. 1-105	1.628c	1.675	1.675	
Dec. 1-107c	1.628c	1.675	1.675	
CHICAGO.—Wheat, \$1.048c; Corn—May, 50c; Oats, 10c; Corn, 25c.				
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TIME is fleeting, as you will soon find out if you don't attend the clearing-out sale at D. Crawford & Co.'s this week, after which time the goods that are marked down below cost, and which may not be sold by Saturday, will be marked back again to their original value. It is seldom the people of this city are offered such inducements to buy as are now being offered at the Great Broadway Bazaar.

DR. E. C. Chase,
Corner of 9th and Olive streets. Set of teeth, \$8.
PRIVATE matters skillfully treated and medicines furnished. DR. Dinsbeir, 616 Pine st.

SULLIVAN AND TRUDE.

The Former Transfers His Real Estate to the Noted Criminal Lawyer.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 28.—The news this morning says: Considerable comment was indulged in yesterday over the discovery that Mr. Alexander Sullivan, one of the so-called "Trianglers," had transferred his real estate to Attorney A. S. Trude. Inquiry at the Recorder's office elicited the fact that the deed for this transfer was recorded in his office about four weeks ago, but publication of the fact was suppressed by the agency presumably by those directly concerned. It has been an open secret that Sullivan had maintained relations which made the attorney the virtual possessor of all Sullivan's property. When these relations grew out of the "Trianglers" a silent conspiracy between the Cronin murder, requiring the secret counsel of the noted criminal lawyer, was the theme of his defense. It is known yesterday, Sullivan's friends stoutly maintain, of course, that the transfer was only in the exercise of common prudence and that he was not in any way implicated as before the execution of the supposed dead. But the skeptical, including the friends of the murdered doctor, ask: "Why select A. S. Trude as his representative?" There is evidently another unwritten chapter of the Cronin murder.

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THE MINNEAPOLIS CENSUS FRAUDS.
District Attorney Baxter Demands the Transfer of the Cases to St. Paul.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 28.—The cases of the six emulators charged with conspiracy to pad the Minneapolis census were called before United States Commissioner Odell yesterday. United States District Attorney Baxter considered Commissioner Odell biased on account of being a Minneapolis man, and he refused to prosecute, but issued a new warrant returnable before Commissioner Morey of Winona at St. Paul. Mr. Hart of the defense protested against the move. Mr. Baxter said the actions taken under the directions of the Department of Justice at Washington. This reply made Attorney Hart angry and he called upon the referee, Mr. Alexander, to rule. The referee, after consulting with the District Attorney, said the crew would be transferred, but made no act to move. The Commissioner did not release the inquest, however. Mr. Baxter, after consulting with the crew, cases are transferred and Odell refuses to adjourn the court. The court was still in session and the hearing was adjourned. The heavily armed crew are in the court-room prepared to act in case any attempt is made to harm the District Attorney.

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Vapor Stove Manufacturers.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 28.—The Vapor Stove Manufacturers' Association of the United States is in session in this city, and the members succeeded in adjusting their disagreements yesterday. Officers were elected as follows: President, Hon. D. A. Dangler of Cleveland; Vice-president, Paul S. of Cleveland; Treasurer, A. O. Ott, Executive Committee, Geo. Kahl, W. Brandon, Garsen Meyers, H. Trencamp and Charles H. Pyle.

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Murdered His Brother-in-Law.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Aug. 28.—William Fiamella last night visited the home of William Vrapp, his brother-in-law, in Bayonne. They drank and quarreled and Fiamella drew a dagger and plunged it twice in Vrapp's groin, causing almost instant death. Fiamella was arrested. The blood-stained dagger with a 10-inch blade was found on the prisoner and there were bloodstains on his hat.

Diamonds, Pearls, Sapphires, Rubies.

Exquisite in quality and beautiful designs in settings of Plain Ear Rings, Pendants and Bracelets, combined with the "lowest prices in America" the advantages enjoyed by those who purchase from the new importations of the Mermad & Jaccard Jewelry Co., corner Broadway and Locust.

A Minister's Suicide.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 28.—A special to the Chronicle says: W. H. Overton, aged 60, a Baptist minister in Fulton County, this state, committed suicide yesterday by discharging both barrels of a shotgun into his throat. Death was immediate. A scandal about a young lady is reported to be the cause. Overton was a man of family and had grandchildren and always bore a pure heart.

"Nangay Doola." A complete and most interesting story on Heredity by Rudyard Kipling. Illustrated in the next SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

BIG POW-WOW of Indian Chiefs.

PIERRE, S. D., Aug. 28.—Government Indian Agent Newell has gone up to Bad River to attend a big pow-wow of Indian Chiefs relative to taking lands in large numbers. These Indians have asserted their tribal relations and gone to work like white men. The great objection to their progress now is the frequent dances, which tends to demoralize them.

Dr. Enos Sander's Aromatic Gingers. A delicious summer beverage, made by druggists, grocers and saloons.

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS.

MURPHY'S RIDING OF FIRENZI TUESDAY NOW UNDER INVESTIGATION.

Jack Dempsey Willing to Meet Any 154. Found Man in the World—The Browns Win an Exciting Game at Baltimore—National Bicycle Championship Contests—Base Ball, Kaching and General Sporting News.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—THE Executive Board of the Monmouth Park Association were engaged at intervals yesterday investigating the riding of Firenze Tuesday for the Monmouth Handicap by Jockey Isaac Murphy. There was no suspicion in their minds that the jockey had been guilty of any intentional wrong doing. His name is always mentioned to the turf but has always been absent in his profession. There were many rumors that Murphy was drugged. The fact that several well known plunger won a big lot of money on Firenze in one case was the figure was placed as high as \$8,000—was cited as evidence that he must have been Murphy. It was incapable of riding the mare, for they would not otherwise have thought for a moment that he could be defeated by one of her antagonists. It is believed that the Executive Committee prosecuted its inquiry as to the truth of that rumor, but as they refused to disclose anything about the matter it is not positive that he did so. Murphy himself said that just before he left his home not far from the track, Tuesday, he drank a milk punch, as he felt somewhat weak. He had been reducing so as to ride Michael for Mr. Swiggert in the fourth race, and besides had been considerably shaken up by being thrown from his carriage the day before. When he reached the track he drank a small bottle of ginger ale and that was all he drank that day. With whom he drank the ginger ale and the collins water he would not say. He came home with a combination to make money, and if there is money in my match offered I am it."

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